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## Todd M. Smola (BY REQUEST)

To the Honorable Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts in General Court assembled:

The undersigned legislators and/or citizens respectfully petition for the passage of the accompanying bill:

An Act prohibiting minors from handling alcoholic beverages.

PETITION OF:

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## The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

In the Year Two Thousand and Nine

## AN ACT PROHIBITING MINORS FROM HANDLING ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:

- 1 SECTION 1. Section 34 of chapter 138 of the General Laws, as appearing in the 2006 Official Edition, is
- 2 hereby amended in the first paragraph, by striking out the last sentence and inserting in place thereof the
- 3 following:-
- 4 No person under the age of 18 shall handle any alcohol or alcohol container, opened, unopened, for any
- 5 purpose including stocking, bagging and accepting and returning recyclable materials.
- 6 SECTION 2. Section 64 of said chapter 138, as so appearing, is hereby amended in the first paragraph,
- 7 by inserting after the first sentence, the following sentence:-
- 8 In the instance that the licensee's retail sale location is attached to or a part of another commercial activity
- 9 at that location, the above remedies shall be applied to those premises also.